

ICCR INCINERATOR WORK GROUP MEETING
September 3, 1997, Chemical Manufacturers Association
Washington, DC

Activities and Decisions

- Rick Crume provided updates and led discussion on the following Work Group activities:
 - Nominations for Stakeholder Co-chair and Alternate- The Work Group agreed to request that EPA reappoint Norm Morrow and Jeff Shumaker as the Stakeholder Co-chair and Alternate, respectively.
 - Status of Work Group nominations- The Work Group reviewed the nominations for Work Group membership and the names of members being removed from the Work Group. The Work Group believes that additional State and local representation would be beneficial for the Work Group. A representative of the ICCR will address the State and local caucus regarding their concerns.
 - EPA ability to fund testing- At this time, the EPA does not know how much money will be available to fund testing. A suggestion was made that the Work Group bring recommendations for necessary testing to the Coordinating Committee.
- Jeff Shumaker provided an update on the progress of the Solid Waste Definition Subgroup. The group scheduled a series of meetings beginning September 4, 1997 and has developed an approach to minimize potential conflict over the definition.
- The Work Group discussed the possibility of changing the Incinerator Work Group name. The Work Group members interested in changing the name were encouraged to consider different names for the Work Group and present them at a future meeting, if desired.
- Rick Crume presented a draft table for potential subcategories and encouraged the Work Group to provide improvements to the current format and wording. The changes suggested by the Work Group were incorporated and the new version was distributed to the Subteams for use in subcategorization.

- Rick Crume presented regulatory alternatives paper (RAP) guidance which included the ICWI Consent Decree dates and definitions of ICWI and OSWI categories. He suggested a mid-summer or late summer deadline for the RAP to be submitted to the Coordinating Committee.
- The Work Group discussed the schedule of activities for the upcoming year. The milestones agreed to were:

October 14, 1997: Subteam provides draft subcategories with corresponding explanations.

November 18-19, 1997: Work Group presents subcategories to the Coordinating Committee.

March, 1998: Work Group identifies data gaps, develops test plans and model plants.

June, 1998: Work Group determines emission levels, MACT floors and control options.

July, 1998: Work Group completes a Draft Regulatory Alternative Paper.

- The Work Group received reports from three of the subteams:

Subteam 1 has completed an initial review of the database and gathered additional trade organization data. The Subteam has come up with several recommendations, which will be made available on the TTN for review.

Subteam 3 has subcategorized their portion of the database and found that most of the devices looked at were boilers, not incinerators. Based on their expertise, these devices should be sent to the boiler Work Group. The remaining tentative categories are: wood, construction waste, and demolition waste. The subteam will search outside the database to fill data gaps.

Subteam 5 has continued review of the database and is working with the IWG's new subcategorization table to meet the subcategorization deadline. The Subteam has identified records which should go to other Work Groups or Subteams and will forward these records to the appropriate people. The Subteam has not yet reached

consensus on a draft landfill gas flare position paper.

Important dates

- The current Work Group meeting schedule is as follows:
 - September 18: room will be available for subteams interested in meeting in Durham, North Carolina (Note: the Coordinating Committee will meet in Durham, North Carolina on September 16 and 17.) (Ed. Note: As of 9/8/97, the availability of a room for subteam huddles had not been confirmed. Subteam leaders will be notified if a room becomes available. Otherwise, any subteam huddles can take place in lounge space or hotel rooms.)
 - September 22: teleconference for all Work Group members to summarize the outcome of the CC meeting, 11am - 1pm EDT
 - October 9: teleconference for Subteam leaders and interested Work Group members to discuss progress made in preparing for October 14 deadline, 11am - 1pm EDT
 - October 14: Recommended subcategories, subcategory definitions, rationale for subcategory selection, and assigned CAA section due to Rick Crume for each Subteam
 - October 28: Work Group meeting in Research Triangle Park, North Carolina, 8am - 4pm EST (Note that this is an early start time.)
 - November 20: Work Group meeting scheduled for Houston, Texas (Note: the Coordinating Committee will meet in Houston on November 18 and 19)

Action Items

- Rick Crume will evaluate any database updates presented by the Work Group and forward the updates to Eastern Research Group.

- Rick Crume will prepare a draft summary of Regulatory Alternatives Paper requirements. This summary will include an explanation of the distinction between ICWI and OSWI, a clarification of covered pollutants, and other clarifications.
- The EPA will inform the Work Group of the composition that was originally intended for ICCR membership and what effect attrition has had on this composition.
- Any movement of units between Subteams should be handled by the Subteam leaders with a copy to Rick Crume. The facility ID and combustor ID must be provided to the subteam to which the misplaced units belong.
- A draft of the Incinerator Work Group Status Report to be presented to the Coordinating Committee will be prepared by Norm Morrow and Rick Crume. The Work Group will review the document in time to have it posted on the TTN by 9/8/97.